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: Patrick Neal Butler

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CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR \$1.136(a)

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a three (3) month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated August 21, 2008 from November 21, 2008 to February 21, 2009.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$1,110,00 fee to Deposit Account No. 50-2719

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fees or insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-2719

Respectfully submitted.

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